

Amendment to the Specification:

Please amend the Title to read:

“Method for Software Emulation of a Computer Hard Disk.”

Amend the specification to coincide with the original page 15 text as follows:

-redirection of the data write requests could then be effective either at the level of the client modules or at the level of the server modules or for both types of modules with the advantages described previously.

Therefore, the securing of access to the operating system and/or certain files contained in the hard disk, and particularly, in a network system operated by numerous users, is assured thanks to the method of the invention which totally emulates the software of hard disks at the level of data blocks or at the level of the file system, therefore permitting the use in emulated hard disks of any type of file systems accepted by the operating system.-